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Notice of the Sale of an improved Lot in Easton.

The President, Directors & Company of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, by virtue of a power, contained in a Deed of Mortgage, passed and executed to them by William Vanderford and Margaret Ann his wife, bearing date the twenty fourth day of December, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty three, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Tuesday, the 18th day of July next, between the hours of three and four o'clock, in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, of Talbot County, in the State of Maryland, a lot or parcel of ground, situated and being in the town of Easton in the County aforesaid, whereon there is a good brick dwelling house and sundry other improvements, and which was purchased by the said William Vanderford, from one James Cockayne. The sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the Bank, for the sum of three hundred dollars, current money, and some interest and costs, due from the said William Vanderford, and the terms of payment can be made easy to the purchaser, by an accommodation at Bank, provided a note, with approved security, be offered.

THOS. J. BULLITT, Pres't. of the Branch Bank at Easton.

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NOTICE

OF THE SALE OF VALUABLE *LANDS IN TALBOT COUNTY.*

The President, Directors and Company of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, by virtue of a power, contained in a deed of mortgage, passed and executed to them, by William Hayward, deceased, bearing date the twenty fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and twenty two, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of August next, between the hours of three and four o'clock, in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House of Talbot county, in the State of Maryland, all and singular that farm and premises of him the said William Hayward, in his life time, lying and being in Talbot County aforesaid, consisting of the parcel of land called "Theobald's Addition," and of part of the tract of land, called "Sheepshead Point," bounded on the East by the land of Abednego Botfield, deceased, on the South by the public road leading to the Bay Side, on the West by the land that belonged to William W. Moore, and on the North West and North by the Cove and St. Michaels River, and containing the quantity of one hundred and sixty two and an half acres of land, more or less, which the said William Hayward purchased at public sale of the Sheriff of the said county, and died possessed of. The land is leased for the present year, therefore, possession will not be delivered to the purchaser, until the end of the year, but he will have the privilege of seeding wheat on the premises in due season, and on the usual terms. This farm being deficient in wood and timber, the purchaser will have the opportunity of obtaining a reasonable portion of wood land, convenient to the farm. There is an incumbrance on the land of the widow's dower, which she will either sell for a reasonable price, or lease for a moderate rent. The sale will be made for the purpose of satisfying the Bank for the sum of two thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars, current money, and some interest and costs. The terms of payment can be made easy to the purchaser by an accommodation at Bank, provided a note, with approved security, be offered.

THOS. J. BULLITT, Pres't. of the Branch Bank, at Easton.

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Notice of the Sale of Valuable Lands in Talbot County.

The President, Directors & Company of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, by virtue of a power, contained in a Deed of Mortgage, passed and executed to them, by Lambert W. Spencer, bearing date the fifth day of May, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty one, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Tuesday the 18th day of July next, between the hours of three and four o'clock, in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House of Talbot County, in the State of Maryland, these parts of the several tracts of Land, called Ashby, Tilghman's Fortune, Harding's Endeavor, and Betty's Addition, adjoining each other, and lying and being in the County aforesaid, on the South East side of Miles River, adjoining the ferry, and on the North East side of the road leading from the said ferry to Easton, which were purchased by the said Lambert W. Spencer from one Charles D. Barrow, and contain the quantity of one hundred and ninety acres and one half acre of land, more or less and also those parts of the tracts of land, called Daley's Delight and Tilghman's Fortune, lying and being in the said County, on the South side of Creek, called Fausley Creek, which were Purchased by the said Spencer from one James Seth, contain the quantity of twenty four acres and one half acre of land, more or less, and adjoin the first mentioned lands. The let will be made for the purpose of satisfying the Bank for the sum of four thousand, seven hundred and fifty dollars, current money, and some interest and costs, due from the said Lambert W. Spencer. The terms of payment can be made easy to the purchaser, by an accommodation at Bank, provided a note, with approved security, be offered.

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ED. P ROBERTS & SADNS & NEILSON Having purchased the Establishment of the

FARMER & GARDENER.

Successor to the *AMERICAN FARMER,*

And being desirous to place it within the reach of every agriculturist in the United States, have concluded to *reduce its subscription price from five dollars, to two dollars and a half,* per year, from and after the beginning of the next volume, which will commence in May next.

It is now nearly eighteen years since the American Farmer was first established. Prior to its institution, there were no paper exclusively devoted to agriculture in the country, and it will not be arrogating any thing but what it deserves, to say, that, as it was the pioneer in the good work, the labors of its former conductors must have been productive of much solid advantage to those for whose benefit it was established. In continuing its publication, the present proprietors flatter themselves that its pages will be found to contain matter at once calculated to instruct & interest the agricultural reader. So far as they are concerned, they are determined to conduct it with industry, unflinching perseverance, & with undivided attention to the great and important purposes which called it into existence. They feel certain that none of its patrons will have cause to complain, at the end of their subscription year, that they have left any effort unessayed to render it worthy of their confidence and support.

In reducing its subscription price, they have ventured upon an experiment full of risk and responsibility, and as they have done so under the influence of motives which they must be permitted to say should commend it to a greatly increased subscription—as they can alone look to *that* as the source of their remuneration—and as in so doing, their labor will be much increased—they appeal to its present patrons to aid them in giving it an extended circulation. They are confident that those who now honor them with their support, can, without personal inconvenience, in their own immediate neighborhoods, and among their persona' friends, by using their deserved influence, procure such an addition to their present list of subscribers, as will not only realize their fondest expectations; but place them under renewed obligations of interest and gratitude, to render the *Farmer and Gardener* a welcome visitor to the fire-side of every farmer and planter.

The farmer and Gardener will at once be a faithful repository of original communications from practical agriculturists and horticulturists, and of judicious selections from every other available source. Foreign, and domestic agricultural, and scientific works, will be constantly resorted to, for the purpose of furnishing materials calculated to advance the prosperity and happiness of the country, and of adding to the intelligence of the American husbandman.

In fine, whatever concerns the business, of the *farm, domestic animals of all kinds, newly invented implements of husbandry, those of approved utility now in use,* together with the principles and practice of agriculture, horticulture, and gardening generally, will be regularly and conscientiously noticed. The *prices of produce* in this market, and the value of *bank notes* will be weekly laid before its readers.

With a view of keeping their patrons advised of all superior breeds of animals already introduced or which may be hereafter imported, they will sieze the earliest opportunity of translating all such information to the columns of their journal.

TERMS, &c.

Price two dollars and fifty cents per annum or all subscriptions paid in advance, or within one month from the date of subscription—all subscriptions which remain unpaid beyond that period, will be charged at the rate of three dollars per year.

PUBLIC SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Talbot county, will be sold at the late residence of Noah Willis deceased, on Wednesday the 10th of May next, all the personal estate of said dec'd. (negroes excepted) consisting of

Houchold & Kitchen Furniture,

Farming Utensils,



Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs,

A lot of Bacon, Lard, &c. &c.

A credit of six months will be given on all sums over five dollars, the purchaser giving note with approved security, with interest from the day of sale—and for all sums under five dollars the cash will be required. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M. attendance given by

P. F. THOMAS Adm'r. of Noah Willis, dec'd.

April 29.

A CARD.

Mrs. E. NICOLS, intends opening her house at the South end of Washington street, near the Point road, on New-Year's day next for the accommodation of Boarders, by the day week, month or year. She hopes by using he utmost exertions to please those gentlemen an ladies who may patronize her, to be able t give general satisfaction.

Easton, Dec. 10

THE SLOOP



SALLY LLOYD.

Captain ROBERT A. DODSON, will after the 8th of April, be ready to receive freight from Skipton Creek or Wye River.

Apply to the Captain at Wye Landing.

April 1.

DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Ozman and Shanahan, is this day dissolved. All persons indebted to the above firm, will confer a great favor, by calling and settling their accounts, as the Subscribers wish to close the business of the firm, as speedy as possible.

OZMAN & SHANAHAN.

April 15th, 1837.

N. B. The business will hereafter be conducted by Samuel Ozman, at the same stand, directly opposite Mr. Charles Robinson's store. The subscriber feels thankful for the liberal support he has received, and now begs leave to inform them that he is ready to meet all orders in his line, that may be directed to him, with neatness and dispatch.—The Subscriber has a first rate *Hearse,* and no pains will be spared in rendering general satisfaction to that part of his business, as he intends in all cases to discharge his duty as an undertaker.

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EASTON & BALTIMORE PACKET *via* ***Miles River Ferry.***

The Coppered and Copper Fastened



SLOOP JANE

BENJAMIN HORNEY, Master.

Will commence to run regularly from this place to Baltimore, on Sunday (16th) leaving Miles River Ferry, at 9 o'clock, and returning leave Baltimore, on Wednesday, at the same hour; and continue to do so throughout the season. Freights will be received on board, any where on the river or at the ferry. All orders handed to John Horney, who will attend in Easton every Saturday will be punctually attended to.

Passage and fare $2.00.

April 15 3tq

Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of an order of Talbot County Court, the undersigned Commissioners, will expose to public sale, on the premises, on Wednesday the 10th day of May next, at the hour of 12 o'clock, one house and lot in the town of Centreville, in Queen Ann's County, the same being that part of the real estate of James Ridgaway, late of Talbot County, deceased, that remains unsold and the whole of said deceased's real estate in Queen Ann's County aforesaid—a description of the property is deemed unnecessary as those wishing to purchase will no doubt view the premises previous to the day of sale.

The terms of Sale prescribed by the order of the Court are as follows, viz: a credit of six, twelve or eighteen months will be given to the purchaser as to the right or title of the heirs and legal representatives of the said James Riegaway who are of full age; and as to the right and title of each heir and legal representative of the said James Ridgaway who is a minor, a credit until such minor shall arrive at full age. The payment of the whole of the purchase money to be secured by bond to the State of Maryland, with approved security bearing interest from the day of sale.—The interest on the portion of the minors to be paid annually—upon the ratification of the sale by the Court and the payment of the purchase money, the Commissioners will execute a good deed to the purchaser or his legal representatives.

Joseph Turner,
William Rose,
G. Turbutt,
Thos. O. Martin.

April 15

Easton & Baltimore Packet

SCHOONER



EMILY JANE.

Robson Leonard, Master.

The Subscriber grateful for past favours of a generous public, begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that the above named Schooner, will commence her regular trips between Easton and Baltimore, on Wednesday the 5th of April at 9 o'clock, in the morning, and returning will leave Baltimore on the following Saturday at 9 o'clock, in the morning, and continue to sail on the above named days during the season. The Emily Jane is now in complete order for the reception of Freight or Passengers; having proved to be a fine sailer and safe boat, surpassed by no vessel for safety, in the bay. All Freights intended for the Emily Jane will be thankfully received at the Granary at Easton Point, or elsewhere at all times, and all orders left at the Drug Store of Dr. Thomas H. Dawson & Sons, or with Mr. Saml. H. Benny will be attended to; Mr. B. will attend to all other business pertaining to the packet concern, with the assistance of Mr. Robert Leonard. All orders should be accompanied with the Cash, to meet with prompt attention.

☞ Passage and fare $2,00.

☞ The subscriber expects in a very short time to supercede the Emily Jane by a new and first rate boat. Should an increase of business demand it he will run another vessel in connexion with the present one.

The Public's Ob't. Serv't

JOSHUA E. LEONARD.

April 8, 1837.

Caution.

I hereby caution Merchants, and others from trusting any person on my account, without a written order.

THOMAS PARSONS.

Talbot County, April 22

LAWS OF MARYLAND.

Made and passed at December Session, 1836.

CHAPTER 156.

A supplement to the act, entitled, an act concerning Crimes and Punishments, passed at November session, eighteen hundred and nine, chapter one hundred and thirty-eight.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful to shave the head of any prisoner or prisoners who are now, or shall hereafter be confined in the Maryland Penitentiary.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted.* That it shall be the duty of the several county courts of this State, and the city court of Baltimore, in sentencing convicts to the penitentiary, to sentence them for such a period as will expire between the first day of April and the last day of August, any thing in the laws heretofore passed on this subject to the contrary notwithstanding.

Sec. 3. *And be it enacted.* That all acts or parts of acts contrary to, or inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER 191.

A further supplement to the act to regulate the Inspection of Tobacco.

WHEREAS, great and manifest injury and incon[illegible]ence are suffered by the citizens of this State, in being prohibited from transporting and carrying their tobacco from this State into any other State and the District of Columbia before the same is inspected, passed and marked at some public warehouse in this State or remedy thereof,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That from and after the passage of this act it shall and may be lawful for any inhabitant of this State to export or carry by land or water any tobacco, either in hogsheads or otherwise, without the same having been previously inspected, passed and marked at any public warehouse, into any State of the United States, or into the District of Columbia, any thing in the act to regulate the inspection of tobacco or any other act of Assembly to the contrary notwithstanding.

CHAPTER 192.

An act supplemental to an act for amending and reducing into system the Laws and Regulations concerning last Wills and Testaments, the duties of Executors, Administrators and Guardians, and the rights of Orphans', and other representatives of deceased persons.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That from and after the first day of May next, all claims for rent in arrear against deceased persons, for which a distress may be levied by law, after the death of the deceased, shall have preference over all other claims against said deceased's estate, except such as now have a preference over claims for rent in arrear, without the levying of a distress therefore, and the administrator or executor of any deceased person is authorized to pay and discharge such claim for rent in arrear, provided the Orphans' Court of the county shall be satisfied of the justice of said claim, and that a distress therefor might be levied on said deceased's goods and chattles, in the hands of such administrator or executor; *and provided also* that nothing in this act contained shall be construed to divest or in any manner impair the right of any person having a claim for rent in arrear against a deceased person, to pursue his remedy therefore by distress in the cases and in the manner now allowed by law.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the Orphan's court, before passing or allowing any such claim in the settlement of the accounts of an administrator or executor, shall be satisfied, on proof of that correctness of the claim, and that a distress could be levied and maintained therefor, but nothing in this act contained shall be construed to compel an administrator or executor, to pay any such claim, although passed by the Orphans' Court, if he shall think proper to dispute said claim.

CHAPTER 197.

An act to amend the Constitution and Form of Government of the State of Maryland.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the term of office of the members of the present senate shall end and be determined whenever, and as soon as a new senate shall be elected as hereinafter provided, and a quorum of its members shall have qualified as directed by the constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted,* That at the December session of the General Assembly for the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and forever thereafter, the senate shall be composed of twenty-one members, to be chosen as hereinafter provided, a majority of whom shall be a quorum for the transaction of business.

Sec 3 *And be it enacted.* That at the time and place of holding elections in the several counties of this State, and in the city of Baltimore, for delegates to the General Assembly for the December session of the year eighteen hundred and thirty eight, under the direction of the same judges by whom such elections for delegates shall be held, an election shall also be held in each of the several counties of this State and in the city of Baltimore respectively, for the purpose of choosing a senator of the State of Maryland for and from such county or said city, as the case may be, whose term of office shall commence on the day fixed by law for the commencement of the regular session of the General Assembly, next succeeding such election, & continue for two, four or six years according to the classification of a quorum of its members; & at every such election for senators, every person qualified to vote at the place at which he shall offer to vote for delegates to the General Assembly, shall be entitled to vote for one person as senator; and of the persons voted for as senator in each of the several counties and in said city, respectively, the person having the highest number of legal votes, and possessing the qualifications hereinafter mentioned, shall be declared and returned as duly elected for said county or said city, as the case may be; and in case two persons possessing the required qualifications shall be found on the final casting of the votes given, in any one of said counties or said city, to have an equal number of votes, there shall be a new election ordered as hereinafter mentioned; and immediately after the senate shall have convened in pursuance of their election under this act, the senators shall be divided in such manner as the senate shall prescribe, into three classes; the seats of the senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year, of the second class at the expiration of the fourth year, and of the third class at the expiration of the sixth year, so that one-third thereof may be elected on the first Wednesday of October in every second year; and elections shall be held in the several counties and city, from which the retiring senators cause, to supply the vacancies as they may occur in consequence of this classification.

Sec 4. *And be it enacted,* That such election for senators shall be conducted, and the returns thereof be made, with proper variations in the certificate to suit the case, in like manner as in cases of elections for delegates.

Sec. 5 *And be it enacted,* That the qualifications necessary in a senator shall be the same as are required in a delegate to the General Assembly with the additional qualification that he shall be above the age of twenty five years, and shall have resided at least three years, next preceding his election, in the county or city in and for which he shall be chosen.

Sec. 6. *And be it enacted,* That in case any person who shall have been chosen as a senator, shall refuse to act, remove from the county or city, as the case may be, for which he shall have been elected, die, resign or be removed for cause, or in case of a tie between two or more qualified persons in any one of the counties or in the city of Baltimore, a warrant of election shall be issued by the President of the Senate for the time being for the election of a senator to supply the vacancy, of which ten days notice at the least, excluding the day of notice and the day of election, shall be given.

Sec. 7. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the thirty-seventh article of the constitution as provides that no senator or delegate to the General Assembly, if he shall qualify as such, shall hold or execute any office of profit during the time for which he shall be elected, shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. *And be enacted,* That no senator or delegate to the General Assembly shall during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the constitution and laws of this State which shall have been created, or the emoluments thereof shall have been increased during such time; and no senator or delegate, during the time he shall continue to act as such, shall be eligible to any civil office whatever.

Sec. 9. *And be it enacted,* That at the election for delegates to the General Assembly, for the December session of the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and at each succeeding election for delegates, until after the next census shall have been taken and officially promulged, five delegates shall be elected in and for Baltimore city, and one delegate in and for the city of Annapolis, until the promulging of the census for the year eighteen hundred and forty, when the city of Annapolis shall be deemed and taken as a part of Anne Arundel county, and her right to a separate delegation shall cease, five delegates in and for Baltimore; county five delegates in and for Frederick county, & four delegates in and for Anne Arundel county, and four delegates in and for each of the several counties respectively, hereinafter mentioned, to wit: Dorchester, Somerset, Worcester, Prince George's Harford, Montgomery, Carroll and Washington; and three delegates in and for each of the several counties respectively, hereinafter next mentioned, to wit: Cecil, Kent, Queen Ann's, Caroline, Talbot, Saint Mary's, Charles, Calvert and Allegany.

Sec. 10 *And be it enacted,* That from and after the period when the next census shall have been taken and officially promulged, and from and after the official promulgation of every second census thereafter, the representation in the House of Delegates from the several counties and from the city of Baltimore, shall be graduated and established on the following basis, that is to say, every county which shall have by the said census, a population of less than fifteen thousand souls, federal numbers, shall be entitled to elect three delegates; every county having a population by the said census of fifteen thousand souls, and less than twenty-five thousand souls, federal numbers, shall be entitled to elect four delegates; and every county having by the said census a population of twenty-five thousand, and less than thirty-five thousand souls, federal numbers, shall be entitled to elect five delegates, & every county having a population of upwards of thirty five thousand souls, federal numbers, shall be entitled to elect six delegates; & the city of Baltimore shall be entitled to elect as many delegates as the county which shall have the largest representation, on the basis aforesaid, may be entitled to elect; *provided,* and it is hereby enacted, that if any of the several counties herein before mentioned, shall not, after the said census for the year eighteen hundred and forty shall have been taken, be entitled by the graduation on the basis aforesaid to a representation in the House of Delegates equal to that allowed to such county by the ninth section of this act, at the election of delegates for the December session of the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, such county shall shall, nevertheless, after said census for the year eighteen hundred and forty, or any future census, and forever thereafter, be entitled to elect the number of delegates allowed by the provisions of said section for the said session, but nothing in the proviso contained, shall be construed to include in the representation of Anne Arundel county, the delegate allowed to the city of Annapolis in the said ninth section of this act.

Sec. 11. *And be it enacted* That in all elections for senators, to be held after the election for delegates, for the December session eighteen hundred and thirty seven, the city of Annapolis, shall be deemed and taken as part of Anne Arundel county.

Sec. 12 *And be it enacted,* That the General Assembly shall have power from time to time to regulate all matters relating to the judges, time, place and manner of holding elections for senators and delegates, and of making returns thereof, and to divide the several counties into election districts, for the more convenient holding of elections, not affecting their terms or tenure of office.

Sec. 13. *And be it enacted,* That so much of the constitution and form of government, as relates to the Council to the Governor, and to the clerk of the council, be abrogated, abolished and annulled, and that the whole executive power of the government of this State, shall be vested exclusively in the Governor subject nevertheless to the checks, limitations and provisions herein after specified and mentioned.

Sec. 14 *And be it enacted,* That the governor shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint all officers of the State whose offices are or may be created by law, and whose appointment shall not be otherwise provided for by the constitution and form of government, or by any laws consistent with the constitution and form of government; *provided,* that this act shall not be deemed or construed to impair in any manner, the validity of the commissions of such persons as shall be in office under previous executive appointment, when this act shall go into operation, or alter, abridge, or change, the tenure, quality, or duration of the same, or of any of them.

Sec. 15. *And be it enacted,* That the Governor shall have power to fill any vacancy that may occur in any such offices during the recess of the senate, by granting commissions which shall expire upon the appointment of the same person, or any other person by and with the advice and consent of the senate to the same office, or at the expiration of one calendar month, ensuing the commencement of the next regular session of the Senate, whichever shall first occur.

Sec. 16. *And be it enacted,* That the same person, shall in no case be nominated by the Governor, a second time during the same session, for the same office, in case he shall have been rejected by the senate, unless after such rejection, the senate shall inform the governor by message, of their willingness to receive again the nomination of such rejected person, for further consideration, and in case any person nominated by the governor for any office, shall have been rejected by the senate, it shall not

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